

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

John Conant was up from Montoya this week.

Mart Fowler went to Logan yesterday on business.

Felipe Sanchez was in Santa Rosa this week on business.

Jeff Woodward was down from Logan the first of the week.

J. A. Smart and family were here from Dalhart this week.

Fred McFarland was here the first of the week on business.

Mrs. Hixon, the new proprietress of the Glenrock Cafe, went

Miss Florence Surguy was visiting relatives near Hanley last week.

FOR RENT—Five rooms or three rooms furnished. Call at this office.

Bananas bought by the car load is the reason we can sell them so cheap. Phone 231.

Miss Bonem returned home Saturday from Montoya where she had been visiting friends.

W. A. Randle left Monday for an extended visit with relatives and friends at Milan and Stanberry, Mo.

R. B. Read and family returned Sunday from an extended visit at El Paso, Cloudcroft and other points of interest.

Miss Josie Johnson who had been attending school in Silver City for some time, returned to her home at Logan Monday.

FOR RENT—Two room house newly papered and rebuilt, near high school. Call phone 15 or see S. V. Newman. 43tf

Henry J. Wofford returned the first of the week from Montana and Colorado where he had been on business for the past six weeks.

Several loads of apples have been sold out in this city during the past few days. Most of them are from the Santa Rosa neighborhood.

A crowd of boys chaperoned by Revs. Evans and Hearn and Mr. Cusack, spent the day at the blue water holes Monday and report a fine time.

Misses Rose Simpson and Vivian Landry have returned from Atchison county, Mo., where they had been visiting relatives and friends for several weeks.

Mrs. A. R. Carter left Tuesday to visit her mother in Boston. She will be gone several weeks visiting with other relatives and friends at other points in the east.

The ball game scheduled for last Tuesday between the fats and leans was not played on account of the leans' team being unable to materialize.

Guy White of Rana was a visitor in the city Tuesday.

F. G. Copeland was here from Logan this week on business.

Mrs. J. T. Evans of Nara Vista was in the city on business Tuesday.

A load of wheat from the plains sold for 80c to a local feed store Monday.

Several from here attended the picnics on the plains during the past week.

FOR RENT—Three room frame house, south side court house. Call on C. B. Hamilton.

The Tucumcari Hospital is being repainted and decorated and will look fine when finished.

The ladies aid of the Christian church will serve lunch during the county fair in September.

Miss Bessie Bonnie Hamilton has returned from an extended visit with relatives in Missouri.

The ladies of the Methodist church will give an ice cream social on Miss Currie's lawn Aug. 6.

Mrs. Snapper, who is visiting in Las Vegas, report a most pleasant summer among the mountains.

Going to have some cement sidewalk built soon, better see Joe Ritz and save money, all work guaranteed.

Louis Poinbeouf and family arrived Tuesday from El Paso and will take up their residence in Tucumcari.

E. F. Gallegos and wife were Tucumcari visitors this week. Mr. Gallegos is a wealthy cattle man near Logan.

Mrs. Bessie Herring and two children, Dorothy and Benny, left for a visit with relatives in Oklahoma Saturday.

Young Myers, who had the misfortune of having his left foot cut off by a train, was able to leave the hospital this week.

Mrs. W. E. Cox was in the city today enroute to her home in Yuma, Ariz., from a month's visit with relatives in Amarillo.

Mrs. Charley Lackland made the best score at Jim's Shooting Gallery last week and was given a set of silver knives and forks.

A false fire alarm was turned in yesterday. People should be sure there is a fire before causing the fire department to make a run. It costs the city something every time a run is made.

Pansy Plants For Sale—I have a lot of nice plants for sale at 35c per dozen. Call phone 273 or you can see plants at residence on South Adams St.

Mrs. Ira E. Furr.

FOR SALE—Three-room house, two porches, good cave and out-houses, on South 1st street, two blocks from High School, three fine lots, one corner. Price \$675 if taken soon. Call News office.

The Methodist ladies will give an "All the Year Around" bazaar on Friday, August 21.

Mrs. G. S. Hoover left today on an extended visit with relatives in Philadelphia.

The modern white stucco finish gives any old building a new and up to date appearance, moderate in cost. See Joe Ritz.

Supt. Morris and Master Mechanic Gordon, together with their families, have returned from an extended trip to California, and report a fine time. They were accompanied to Tucumcari by Mrs. R. J. Thomson.

Bassett Collins left the first of the week for an extended visit with relatives in Kentucky. He will attend a family reunion while away. Elmer Edwards is taking care of the feed store for Mr. Collins during his absence.

About sixteen young ladies and gentlemen went out to Tucumcari mountain Monday evening, took their suppers and enjoyed a delightful moonlight picnic. They were chaperoned by Mesdames Sandusky and Whitmore.

About twenty-three boy scouts and their manager, C. E. Nicholson, went to Logan Monday for an outing on the Canadian. They will be gone about ten days and will camp near the river in a cotton wood grove and expect to have an enjoyable time.

Notice is hereby given that all residents, owners and agents of property within the city limits have the weeds cut on the property owned or controlled by them. The city is cutting the weeds in the alleys and streets.—S. C. CAMPBELL, City Clerk.

RANCH FOR SALE

Three miles from town, 3 sections good grazing land under fence, plenty of water, 30-ton silo, 24-acres of good crops, 3-room dwelling 25x30 adobe barn and 1 6-stall barn. This is a bargain for anyone wanting a good little ranch. See J. D. LOVELADY.

Juan Gillen and Antonio Rodegez, both of Abbott, were united in marriage Saturday night by Judge McElroy. They called Mr. McElroy down to his office and did not have the necessary license, so the judge called the county clerk and secured the document and satisfied the desires of this couple.

The Democrats will hold their county convention at the court house next Monday, when they will nominate two candidates to the state legislature and choose delegates to the state convention. It is understood that J. H. Welch of Forrest is the strongest candidate and if he is chosen he will be elected because he is a man that holds the esteem of everyone.

We received a letter from J. C. Fowler, of Webb City, Mo., who states that he has about \$20,000 worth of property in that state which he desires to trade for land in this state. If you are tired of this country better list your property for sale and from the way it is selling at present you will have no trouble in disposing of all you have.

A glance at the El Paso market and then at one of the local stores will convince the most skeptical that Tucumcari is not such a high priced town in which to live. For instance okra sells for 20c per pound and cucumbers 5c each while in this city cucumbers sell at 1c and okra at less than 10c. Other things were in proportion. Old hens were quoted at 22 1-2c and springs at 50c.

A. B. Cunningham, Edgar and Elmore Bragg, of Memphis, Texas, have been here the past week looking over the different farm properties which are on the market for sale. They like the country and have made up their mind to buy and locate here. They say the land here is practically as good as that near Memphis which sells from \$15 to \$45 per acre, and there are a number from that part of Texas who contemplate coming out and buying land if it suits them.

A farm, well improved, in Oklahoma, to trade for Tucumcari residence. P. O. Box 347. 45-tf

SEE THE BEST, IT COSTS NO MORE. Home-grown cantaloupes are now ready for market and the quality is extraordinary.

Miss Rose Nelson returned today from Silver City where she had been attending the state normal school.

Mrs. Hickerson and daughter, Mrs. Geo. Ferguson, left last week for an extended visit with relatives in Iowa.

J. S. Poppino has moved to his ranch near Ima. He will soon leave for California where he will reside next year.

T. F. Tarpley and family have returned from an extended visit in the Panhandle country. They report a fine time.

Messrs. and Mesdames Beeth and Stanfill will leave soon in automobiles on an extended trip through New Mexico and Colorado.

Quite a lot of real estate is being transferred these days and this fall promises to be a record-breaker. Land values are beginning to climb.

The J. A. Youree house, southwest of the high school building and occupied by Geo. Newman, was completely destroyed by fire this afternoon.

Mrs. Anna Spears, state president of the Rebekah's, was here last Friday visiting the local organization. Refreshments were served after the business had been finished.

The passengers arriving from the west say that we should not kick on account of the hot weather as they say we don't know what hot weather is. They say it is a great relief to strike a nice climate like Tucumcari enjoys.

W. S. Wane, who was brought here from Roy about two weeks ago suffering from liver trouble, died Saturday morning at nine o'clock. His remains were immediately taken to the Koch undertaking establishment and prepared for shipment to his former home at Boon, Iowa. The Odd Fellows and Rebekahs conducted funeral services Sunday morning and on Monday the remains were shipped to Iowa, where he has four brothers and three sisters. His wife and four children live in California. John Grayson of this city is a nephew of the deceased.

The Crescent Creamery paid out in the neighborhood of \$7,000 to the farmers of this country during the past month. This is a big help to the country as well as to the farmer who is lucky enough to have cream to sell. The handling of foreign butter is now practically a thing of the past and will be as long as the farmer sells his butter fat to a home industry and keeps foreign competition from devouring the local concern. The Crescent Creamery has no room for complaint at present as its capacity is limited and until additional equipment is added it will be found necessary to not buy more than it can successfully handle.

Misses Zella Whitmore and Monette Sandusky were hostesses to a number of the "younger set" on Monday evening, with a "mountain party." The crowd met with Miss Sandusky where they started for the mountain and upon arriving, enjoyed a two course lunch. And after a "mountain climb" returned home tired but happy. They were chaperoned by Mesdames Sandusky and Whitmore. Those enjoying the trip were Misses Eula Street, Dillon Brown, Edith Edwards, Margaret Harvey, Mildred and Laura Richey, Vivian Laundry, Sallie Gee, Finney, Bonem, Whitmore and Sandusky.

Messrs Arthur Goldenberg, Bueler, Goldenberg, Sands, Copeland, Greaves.

BUSINESS PROPERTY FOR SALE
Lot No. 3, Block No. 3, Original Townsite, with building thereon, located next door to the Federal Investment Co., building corner Main and Second Streets.

This property was acquired by us under mortgage, and we will sell at cost like rent.

OCCIDENTAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY,

Herman Gerhardt,
Agent.

Two Big Saturday Specials

If you fail to visit our store Saturday, you will regret it, and the earlier you come the better for you, because you can make better selections. We know that one day's selling will practically dispose of the entire lots.

LADIES WASH DRESSES

Another fortunate purchase enables us to again put on a special sale of ladies' house, street and porch dresses that will mean a big saving to our customers.

Saturday

We will put on sale a big assortment of ladies' wash dresses consisting of about a dozen different designs—all new and popular—made of gingham, linen, etc. Sizes 32 to 44. Values up to \$2.00, for choice.

89c

Remnant Sale Saturday

We have rounded up all short lengths of Laces, Embroidery, Ribbons, etc., measured and tagged each piece, and will have them on sale Saturday at

Half-Price

School opens August 31st, better take advantage of this sale for things needed for the children

Muirhead's Variety Store

THE EUROPEAN CRISIS

It looks as if the long-threatened conflagration in Europe might soon burst into the most appalling war the world has ever witnessed. But the hair-trigger situation may pass as a score of such conditions have passed during the last thirty years. So long as "conversation" are in progress there is hope that peace may prevail.

Servia stands directly across Austria's ambitions. Servia must be beaten down, obliterated as a nation, or the cherished ambition of Austria-Hungary to become master of the western Balkans and a great Slavic power must be foregone.

The present crisis may yet be composed through the skill of diplomats who are doing all in their power to avert a struggle that would bleed Europe as white as venal, to use Bismarck's striking phrase. But such crisis must continue to arise until Servia succumbs or makes good her title to independent nationality.

Nor is Austria, from its own point of view, to blame for this present grave condition. Austria precipitated it, to be sure, but the crisis is really due to conditions that make a conflict inevitable. Servia is not entirely a victim. That kingdom has been aggressive; its agents have been intriguing in all the southern Slavic provinces of the Hapsburg dominion.

There is little doubt as to who instigated the murder of the archduke. There is little doubt that Austria is right in feeling that unless Servia is now subdued, Bosnia, Herzegovina, Slavonia and Croatia may become impossible to rule. The people of these provinces are Slavs and their Austrian rulers are Teutons. It is but another illustration of the hostility to each other of differing races.

Notwithstanding the imminence of it, war between the great powers growing out of the Servian incident is improbable, because the almost unthinkable terrible consequences of such struggle are pretty sure to make either the triple alliance or the triple entente flinch before taking the final plunge.

Which will give way depends upon which is least prepared or least desirous war. In the Moroccan crisis the triple entente—Great Britain, Russia and France—prevailed, because the triple alliance felt itself at a disadvantage. If the Servian crisis is prolonged it is likely that the triple alliance—Austria-Hungary, Germany and Italy—will prevail, since the triple entente would not be entirely of one mind.

France at this time, is ruled by pacifists and England has much less at stake in the Balkans than she had in Morocco.

But on the other hand Europe has been preparing almost since the close of the Franco-Prussian war, out of which came the German empire, for the great war. Austria is now attacking the Servians. It is not probable that Russia will sit idly by and see Austria grab more Slavic territory, as she grabbed Bosnia and Herzegovina before Russia could recover the staggering blow dealt her by the Japs. Russia has recovered. Her war chest is the greatest in the world, her army is stronger and better disciplined than when it invaded Manchuria and her fleet is in far better condition to meet an enemy.

RAILROAD NOTES

Engineer J. D. Lockett and Fireman Clay are holding the Rock Island work train at Santa Rosa.

Conductor Offalter was quite seriously bruised at Colfax, N. M. last week when he stepped off the caboose onto the platform and in some manner slipped back under the car being dragged between the back pair of wheels for several feet.

Engineer Shifflett is on the sick list. Fireman Howard has been laying off for a few days.

Engine foreman Jessup is laying off for a few days. General Foreman Gunther of the El Paso shops was visiting Foreman Stepp over Sunday last.

Master Mechanic Gordon has returned from a vacation spent at Long Beach and other California points.

Engineer "Slats" Phillips is holding a turn on the main line.

Extra Fireman Carpenter is holding the Duran yard engine for a few days. Engineer Roy Wingrove and Fireman Seymour are holding work train on the main line.

General Chairman Prothero of the B. of L. E. was in town Monday.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Bible School meets at 9:45 A. M. Preaching at 11:00 A. M.—Theme: "The Price of Power."

At 7:00 P. M. Young People's service and preaching at 8:00 P. M. Subject: "The Story of Joseph." Fourteen slides will be used in illustrating this beautiful story. Baptism at morning service.

If you can't pull, get behind and push

Read Carefully

and consider the BIG SAVINGS we are offering you during August, EVERYTHING IN THE STORE offered at 1-3 and 1-4 off for cash

1.50 all copper teakettles	\$1.00
45c jelly glasses with lids, dozen	30c
3.00 aluminum percolators	\$1.90
6.50 set of dishes, good quality	\$4.45
65c linoleums, laid free, yd.	\$4.80
10.00 and 11.00 crex grass rugs 9x12	\$8.00
12.00 all wool Lyvan 9x12 rugs	\$8.50
16.50 trunks, muslim lined	\$13.00
5.00 rocking chairs	\$3.75
9.50 leather rocker	\$6.90
12.50 leather rockers	\$8.90

Extra Special—All 15c articles will be sold 2 for 25c

Extra Special—All 10c articles will be sold 2 for 15c

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